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AS350 / 355 SPACEPOD™ LATCHES

It has been called to DART's attention that the original latches (Hartwell P/N H605S190A496) supplied with the SPACEPODTM side cargo compartment extenders (Dart P/Ns D350-600-041 & D350-600-042) doors may not meet their stated "ultimate load" under asymmetric loading and in combination with high vibration, and may fail, causing an inflight hazard.

PRIOR TO NEXT FLIGHT:

Inspect the latch strikers for any sign of cracking, fatigue, or failure. If found to be damaged, replace prior to next flight. Inspect the SPACEPODTM door latch strikers to ensure that they are seating uniformly against the striker plate, and that the door is depressing the door seal when latched. If necessary, shim between the latch striker and striker plate to ensure (no clearance) depression of the door seal.

ACTION:

Perform Dart Engineering Order **DEO 9020** to replace the existing latches and striker plates with modified Hartwell latches (Hartwell P/N H2818-3S125A) and modified striker plates (Dart P/N D2237), within 50 flight hours of receipt of this message.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Upon completion of **DEO 9020**, complete sheet 2 of this Service Bulletin and return by FAX to Dart Aero Accessories, at 1 604 656 2993 (FAX).

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